

LEFT WOMAN TO
BURN TO DEATH

Occupants of Boarding-House
Fled to Street at Alarm of
Fire, Forgetting Aged Mrs.
Tatchen, Helpless in Room.

CARRIED OUT BY A
POLICEMAN, TOO LATE.

Was Once Nurse in Service of
Sir Edward Treves, King Ed-
ward's Surgeon—Origin of
the Fatal Blaze Is a Mystery.

Forgotten in the general rush for
safety when the boarding-house at No.
5 West Twenty-first street, kept by
Mrs. Mary Gaffney, caught fire early
to-day, Mrs. Agnes Tatchen, an old
lady of seventy years, was so badly
burned that she died soon after.

Mrs. Tatchen had a room on the
third floor. She was an Englishwoman,
and was once a nurse in the service of
Sir Edward Treves, surgeon to King
Edward VII. With her daughter Agnes,
she took a large room in Mrs. Gaffney's
boarding-house, and they lived together
until two years ago, when the daughter
married Leon Kojaffer, who is in busi-
ness at No. 128 Broadway.

While the old lady agreed to the mar-
riage, she was never happy after it.
She could not endure separation from
her daughter, the only relative she had,
and often complained bitterly to Mrs.
Gaffney because she saw so little of
her child.

In the room next to that occupied by
Mrs. Tatchen lives Charles Edwards,
a clerk in a department store. At mid-
night Edwards was sitting in his room
with a friend when he suddenly heard
Mrs. Tatchen scream. As the old lady
was somewhat eccentric, and often
screamed when she became nervous,
Edwards paid no attention and forgot
the incident after a minute of silence.

A moment later, however, he opened
his door and found the hall full of
smoke. A boarder named Annie Jones
came downstairs yelling "Fire!" as loud
as she could, and suddenly from every
room people poured out and began
making for the street door.

No one thought of Mrs. Tatchen until
he was safe himself. Finally Miss Jane
Reagan, a second floor boarder who had
escaped in rather scanty attire, in-
quired what had become of Mrs. Tatchen.
Nobody knew. Miss Reagan told a
policeman where the old lady's room
was, and he went up through the
smoke-filled halls and broke open the
door.

He found Mrs. Tatchen unconscious
on the floor. She was very badly
burned and her room showed positively
that the fire had started and done most
of its damage there. The mystery was
how it had started. The lamp had not
even been lighted and no matches were
found in the place save some in a box
on a closet shelf.

An ambulance was summoned and
Mrs. Tatchen was removed to Roose-
velt Hospital. There she died within
two hours without having recovered
consciousness.

TENANTS IN TERROR,
BUT PUPILS CALM

Small Fire Causes a Stampede
in East Side Dwelling, but
Fails to Disturb Class in
School Opposite.

The women and children of sixteen
families living in the big double-decker
tenement at No. 21 Catherine street
were thrown into a panic to-day by a
fire which started in the small dry
goods store on the ground floor, kept by
Isaac Lande. The prompt action of citi-
zens, policemen and firemen was all
that saved some of the excited ones
from being seriously injured.

The fire itself was trifling, but it made
a bad smoke, and as usual, the tenement
house folks lost their heads be-
fore they knew whether there was any
danger or not.

Lande left his store to go out and get
some cigarettes. A curtain in front of
an open window in the rear of the store
was blown against a lighted gas jet and
caught fire. The fire spread to the
stock of the store and great clouds of
smoke arose and went up through the
house. The firemen put the fire out
without any trouble.

Diagonally across from the tenement
is Public School No. 1, in which there
were 2,800 pupils. Although a lot of
smoke came in the school windows and
the clanging of the engines could be
distinctly heard by the children, there
was not the slightest excitement and
not a child left his seat.

WHO LOST BIG AUTOMOBILE?
A two-seated automobile, No. 1458, N. Y.,
awaiting the arrival of the owner at
the Department of Incommodities, Fifty-
sixth street and Twelfth avenue. The
machine was found at Sixty-first street
and Central Park West by a street-
sweeper.

498 Women
and Girls

advertised for employment in the
SUNDAY WORLD WANT DIREC-
TORY.

96 more than the same Sunday last
year.

NEW YORK'S BEST EMPLOYMENT
BUREAU.

HIS DESPAIR IS
CHANGED TO JOY

Evening World's Story Brings
Freedom and Employment to
Siegel, Who Tried Suicide
When Family Was Starving.

ATTEMPTED JUMP OFF
WILLIAMSBURG BRIDGE.

Court and Legal Aid Bureau
Found His Story of Hungry
Wife and Eight Children True
—Mr. Psorr Comes to Rescue.

Through the efforts of The Evening
World Morris Siegel, who lives with his
wife and eight children at No. 57 Pitt
street, and who while starving attempt-
ed to commit suicide from the Will-
iamsburg Bridge last week, was to-day
released from Raymond Street Jail and
given a good position.

When Siegel was arrested for attempt-
ing suicide he told through The Evening
World the story of his fruitless at-
tempts to get work and of the starving
family in the Pitt street home. The
story was seen by Ithielmar Psorr,
President of the local Board of Educa-
tion of Brooklyn, and an officer in the
National Biscuit Company.

Mr. Psorr called up Magistrate Frank
O'Reilly, of the Lee Avenue Court and
asked him whether or not the man's
story was true. The Judge replied that
it had been investigated and found to
be true, that his wife and children
were actually starving. Mr. Psorr
asked if the court would release the
prisoner and promised him employment.
So the magistrate, in the Lee Avenue
Court, when Siegel was brought before
him to-day set him free.

The Legal Aid Bureau of New York
was represented in court this morning
to report that it had investigated
Siegel's case and found his story correct
and the case an extreme one. Gar-
field Moses, the bureau's agent, reported
that The Evening World's story had
brought in contributions amounting to
\$100 from various sources.

After being released from custody
Siegel was given a letter to Mr. Psorr,
who has also promised a better posi-
tion for the would-be suicide's son, who
has been employed as a Postal mes-
senger.

WOMEN FAINT AT
TENEMENT BLAZE

Fire in Basement of Five-Story
House Drives 100 Panic-
Stricken Occupants to Street
in Nightclothes.

A heap of rubbish was discovered
strewn in the basement of a five-story
tenement at No. 663 West Thirty-
sixth street to-day. Mrs. Boehme,
living on the top floor, was the first
to discover the smoke. She alarmed
the janitress, and one of the tenants
ran for a policeman. He had to go all
the way to the West Thirty-seventh
street police station, and by the time the
alarm had been turned in the two
women had run through the house
arousing all the tenants.

The house was occupied by about
one hundred persons. They fled to the
street in wild excitement, many of them
dressed in their nightclothes. They had
all escaped by the time the firemen
arrived. The flames were confined to
the basement. Several of the women
fainted on reaching the street, and Dr.
Faulkner was summoned from Roose-
velt Hospital to attend them.

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at 1.00

The manufacturers of the
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have given us the first chance
on a lot of "Nemo" Corset
"Seconds," which we took
advantage of by immediate
purchase.

These Corsets are but slightly
soiled, and regularly sell at \$2.50
and \$3.00 each;

1.00

(Second Floor, Centre, 19th St.)

Announcement Concerning Dressers & Dressing Tables.

Artistic Patterns from Leading Makers Greatly Under-Priced.
A special consignment of Princess Dressers and Dressing Tables that has just been received will be placed on sale to-
morrow. These pieces represent artistic ideas, and are products which have been given careful thought by their creators—exclusive furniture manufacturers. The
quality of the work has been pronounced by experts as being the best ever produced, price considered, which is 1/2 less than the actual selling price. The assortment
of woods includes BIRD'S-EYE MAPLE, CURLY BIRCH AND MAHOGANY.



Dressing
Tables.
\$27.00 DRESSING TABLES—
Made as illustrated, in Bird's-Eye
Maple and Curly Birch, handsomely
designed and artistic in appearance;
two small drawers, base measures
32x18; French plate mirror, 36x18,
16.75



Dressing
Tables.
\$14.50 DRESSING TABLES—
made as illustrated, in Bird's-Eye
Maple and Curly Birch, one
large drawer—base measures
28x18—French plate mirror,
bevelled,
9.00



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Plum Pudding for
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No Thanksgiving dinner is complete
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"FOUNTAIN" BRAND PLUM PUD-
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The quality of these plum puddings,
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1-lb. can, 19c 3-lb. can, 54c
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Covers, Flannellette
Suits.

WOMEN'S CORSET COVERS, cam-
bray, high and V neck, 12c-19c.
edging of fine embroidery. Hubbard yoke,
finished with ruffle on neck and 59c
sleeve.

(Second Floor, Centre, 19th St.)

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Scores of Incomparable Opportunities
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New Grand Pianos.
Regular value, \$550 Sale price, 400.00 Regular value, \$595 Sale price, 475.00
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Regular \$225.00 PLAYANOS for 150.00

We were at liberty to divulge the names of the makers of the above New Pianos
there would be lively purchasing by discerning patrons.
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OUR EASY TERMS OF PAYMENT enable you to get a Piano, Playano, or
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14 K. gold, with
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Tiffany settings, with one
pearl, 14K. gold
mounting, 8.50
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Pre-Holiday Sale of

Umbrellas Continues.

1.00 for UNION TAFFETA SILK TAPE OR PLAIN
EDGE AND AMERICAN TAFFETA UMBRELLA;
26-inch size for men and women, cases and
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better goods have been shown this season, regardless of price.
The variety is great, and only the choicest specimens of ivory,
pearl, agate, gun metal, jade, buck-horn and tortoise-shell, with
fine gilt or sterling silver mountings, are included.

(Main Floor, Front, 14th St.)

Thanksgiving Offerings in the Boys' Store.

Ston Russian and Sailor Suits.
2 1/2 to 12 Years.
These pretty suits with extra white linen collar and
silk tie for boys 2 1/2 to 12 years, made of fine
worsted serge in navy, claret, brown and royal blue,
also in fancy mixtures, with
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5 to 10 Years.
The popular suit for boys, also with white linen collar
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To-Morrow's Toytown Special.

Several hundred of these painted
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Another remarkable collection of fine imported decorated Tableware, at from
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FRUIT PLATES, regularly 90c, each,
50c
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each, 30c
OATMEAL SAUCERS, regularly \$2.00,
each, 1.00
TEA CUPS AND SAUCERS, assorted de-
corations, regularly \$2.50, each, 1.00
MEAT DISHES, 40c, size, each, 1.00
MEAT DISHES, 50c, size, each, 1.00
ROAST DISHES, \$1.25, size, each, 1.00
TURKEY DISHES, \$2.50, size, each, 1.00
SOUP TUREENS, large, size, each, 1.00
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corations, comprising 12 Dinner,
12 Tea, 12 Soup, 12 Porcelain
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Main Dish, Soup Tureen, 4
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stable Dishes (4 covered and 4
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Dish and 12 Tea Cups and
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Vermouth, finest imported, bottle, 45c
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Gin, per bottle, 75c
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